Minutes from the Town of Trenton Town Board Meeting

Date and Time: June 7, 2022, 7:30 PM

Location: Town of Trenton Town Hall, 1071 Highway 33 East, West Bend, WI 53095

Present: Chairman Joseph Gonnering, Supervisor Jeff Esselmann, Supervisor Ed Doerr, Clerk Cindy Komro, DPW Director Charles Schmidt.

Chairman Joseph Gonnering asked those in attendance to stand and recite the Pledge of Allegiance. Gonnering called the Meeting to order at 7:30 P.M.

#### 1. Approve Minutes of Town Board Meeting of May 17, 2022:

Ed Doerr moved to approve the minutes of the Town Board meeting of May 17, 2022; Jeff Esselmann seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

# 2. Affidavit of Posting:

Chairman Gonnering read the affidavit of posting, that notice was properly posted prior to the meeting on the Town Bulletin Board and the Town official website and was also sent to the Washington County Daily News and WIBD Radio.

# 3. Comments and Questions from the Audience:

Jarrett Mapes, 1777 Mapledale Road, complained about the recycling collection of late. He also offered to assist with the language of the new trash/recycling contract that will be negotiated later this year.

## 4. Review and Accept Agenda:

Jeff Esselmann moved to accept the agenda as presented; Ed Doerr seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

# 5. <u>Reports from Town of Trenton Police and Washington County Sheriff's Departments:</u> None.

# 6. May Bank Statement Reconciliations:

Ed Doerr moved to approve the May bank statement reconciliations; Jeff Esselmann seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

## 7. Culvert Waiver Application, Jon Kissel, 1744 Mapledale Road:

Jeff Esselmann moved to deny Jon Kissel's culvert waiver application, with the caveat that he may proceed with his driveway until the road is ditched and will then need a culvert; Ed Doerr seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

#### 8. Resolution 2022.06.01, Dividing Town of Trenton into Municipal Wards:

Clerk Cindy Komro presented the resolution based on state assembly districts. Ed Doerr moved to approve Resolution 2022.06.01; Jeff Esselmann seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

# 9. Washington County Hazard Mitigation Plan, Emergency Management:

Joe Gonnering explained the county plan, reviewed every five years. Discussion followed. Both Jeff and Ed offered to be involved in the meetings.

## 10. Athletic Fields Lights:

DPW Director Charlie Schmidt explained the issue with the lights and scoreboard in the baseball fields. The Board directed Charlie to contact some electrical contractors for direction on repair or replacement.

#### 11. DPW Wages:

Joe Gonnering encouraged the board to review DPW employee wages.

#### 12. North Church Road and Shady Lane:

Chairman Joe Gonnering discussed the road core samples received from the town engineer.

#### 13. Annexation Request, City of West Bend:

Chairman Joe Gonnering presented the annexation request from the City of West Bend.

## 14. Annexation Request, Village of Newburg:

Chairman Joe Gonnering presented the annexation request from the Village of Newburg.

#### 15. Department Reports:

DPW Director Charles Schmidt reported on the garage roof repair, on repair of the chipper, on upcoming road work and which roads need to be line striped.

Clerk Cindy Komro reported on upcoming use of the athletics fields.

Supervisor Jeff Esselmann reported on grass cutting in the town, on the Paradise Hills subdivision, on an employee injury and on the procedures for unloading brush during town recycling hours.

Supervisor Ed Doerr reported on the weed growth in the town.

Chairman Joe Gonnering reported on the remaining engineering fee for Newark Drive and on a resident call regarding an old gravestone that was discovered while digging a stump.

## 16. Payment of Bills:

Jeff Esselmann moved to approve payment of bills totaling \$72,374.99; Ed Doerr seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

## 17. Adjourn:

Ed Doerr moved to adjourn at 8:48 PM; Jeff Esselmann seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

Respectfully submitted,

Cindy A Komro, Town Clerk

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<u>Affidavit of Posting:</u> These minutes were posted on the Town of Trenton Town Hall Bulletin Board at 1071 State Hwy 33 East, West Bend, WI on June 8, 2022. Cindy Komro, Town Clerk.

<u>Subject to Approval:</u> These Minutes will be considered for approval by the Town Board at the June 21, 2022 Board Meeting.